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# Engineering Report

NSI-1 SQUIB ADAPTER DEVELOPMENT  
AND FINAL TEST REPORT FOR USAGE  
ON SPACE SHUTTLE GAS SAMPLER  
VALVE/BOTTLE ASSEMBLY 3270  
( PROPOSED REPLACEMENT FOR P/N 2270 )

(NASA-CR-171735) NSI-1 SQUIB ADAPTER  
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## 1.0 SCOPE

### 1.1 Purpose of Program

The purpose of this development program was to determine the possibility of utilizing the NSI-1 squib in place of SieBelAir cartridge assembly 2270 for the function of both events required for the Space Shuttle Gas Sampler Valve/Bottle Assembly 3270, NASA P/N SED33102111-301. Additionally, it was a requirement that the closure disk of the NSI-1 squib and explosive residue therefrom be retained from the valve cavity in so far as possible to prevent any significant particulate from scratching the valve bore and causing sample leakage following the postfire 2 event.

## 2.0 PROCEDURE

### 2.1 Squib Adapter Design

Squib adapters P/N 3592-1 thru -6 were designed and manufactured in accordance with the accompanying drawing 3592 Rev. A. The internal configuration of the NSI-1 squib cavity was patterned after the internal configuration of the SOS qualified booster module per LMSC Spec. No. 1421333 Rev. B and shown on SOS drawing No. 116401 Rev. F ( SOS proprietary item ). Therefore, the maximum containment of closure disk fragments and explosive residue had been exhibited by prior development and subsequent qualification.

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2.2

### Squib "Full Open" adapter design

Adapter P/N 2196 Rev. A was also manufactured per the accompanying drawing. This adapter was intended to exhibit the P/T characteristics of an NSI-1 squib with no attempt to contain any particulate and therefore anticipated to exhibit the maximum pressure to be attained.

2.3

### Pressure vs Time Calibration Cartridge

SieBelAir cartridge assembly P/N 2270, Lot No. ULX, load sizing calibration unit, was employed to verify the equivalent performance of this unit and to compare with those tests run on the NSI-1 squib.

2.4

### Test Bomb

SieBelAir test bomb P/N 1474-1 N/C was used for all P/T testing and is the same as historically used for such performance and acceptance verification. All tests were conducted at room temperature using a firing current of 5 amps. for 10 millisecond duration.

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PART NO. TABULAT 1-24	
EX-S.	"C" DIA. SIZE "D"
NO. NC.	NO. Holes
-1	#60(.040 DIA.) 4
-2	#60(.040 DIA.) 8
-3	#60(.040 DIA.) 12
-4	1/16"(.0625 DIA.) 4
-5	1/16"(.0625 DIA.) 8
-6	1/16"(.0625 DIA.) 9

THREAD, RELIEF & FACE OF  
HEX. PER AND-10056-6  
EXCEPT AS NOTED.

.040/.050 DIA. THRU  
2 HOLES  
A 15° ± 5°  
TO HEX. DIA.  
2 PLACES

.093  
TYP.

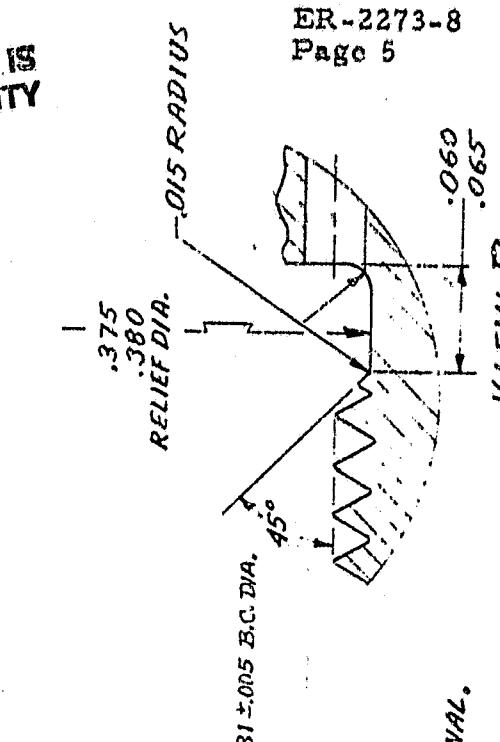
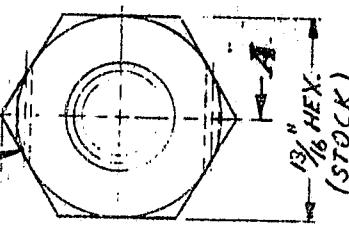
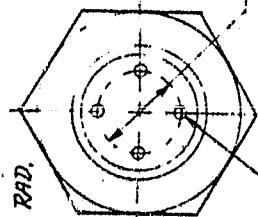
.356  
.343  
.320  
.324  
.005 MAX. FILLET RAD.

.058  
.068  
.130  
.120  
641  
45°  
410  
.02

**SECTION A-A**

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**VIEW B**  
ENLARGED

NO. REQUIRED	ITEM NO.	PART NO.	NAME	WEAT TREAT TO	UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED		MATERIAL	CODE	PRINT
					TYPE	SIZE OR TSN			
<b>SEE PN THRU PLATE</b>									
					3/16 HEX. X 9/16 L.G.		TYPE 303 STAINLESS BAR	00-5-763 CL. 303	
							COND A		
							DESCRIPTION	SPEC. OR REF.	

THESE SURFACES TO BE  
PARALLEL & TRUE WITH  
THREADS WITHIN .002 IN./IN

PORT PER M5-16142-3  
(36-24 THD) PERFECT THD.  
REQUIRED TO THD RELIEF.

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**ADAPTER-SQUIB CLOSURE**  
DNC

**DISK RETAINING**  
DNC

**DISMANTLE PLATE**  
DNC

**DISM**

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HEX. PER AND 10156 - 6  
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Technical drawing of a hexagonal part with a central circle and two holes. The part is labeled with dimensions: .040-.050 DIA. THRU 2 HOLES, 15° TO HEX, 2 PL., 0.93 TYPE, and 13/16 HEX. (STOCK).

← PCRT FER M5-16142-3  
(38-24 THD.) PERFECT THD.  
REQUIRED THRU FULL  
LENGTH OF PART

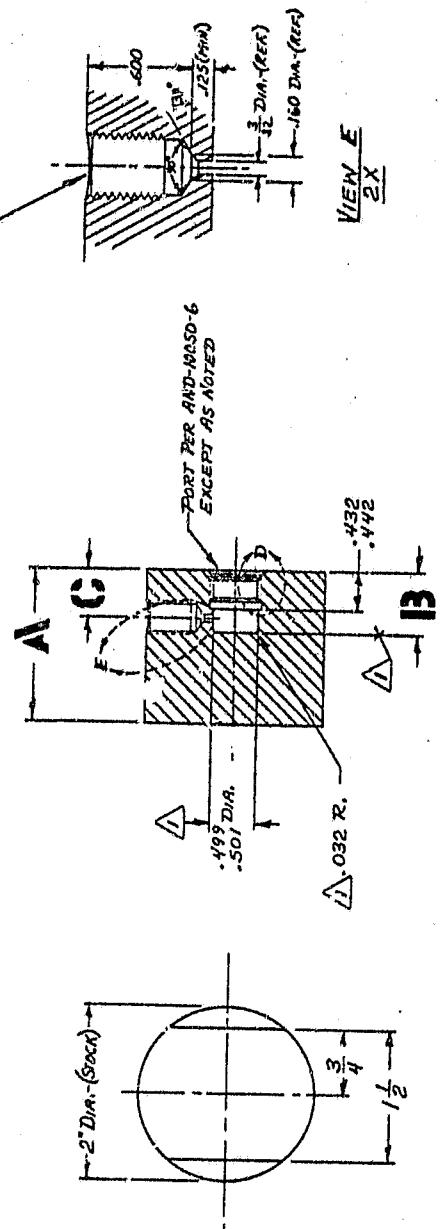
### SECTION A-A

THESE SOUTHERNES TO BE PARALLEL & TRUE  
WITH THREADS WITHIN. CO2 IN. 1/16.

ITEM NO.	PART NO.	NAME	HEAT TREAT TO		SPEC. ANODE PER SPEC.	TOLERANCES OTHERWISE SPECIFIED	MATERIAL	SPEC. ON APR.
			SIZE OR PSN	DESCRIPTION				
1	1	13/16" HEX. X 9/16" LG	TYPE 303 (PRES) BAR	13/16" HEX. X 9/16" LG	13/16" HEX. X 9/16" LG	ALL MACHINED SURFACES $\pm 1/32$ IN. ALL DIAMETERS TO BE CONCENTRIC WITHIN $\pm .005$ IN. CHARACTERS UNLESS C. CONCENTRIC WITHIN $\pm .005$ IN. FILET BODS. ALLOED.	13/16" HEX. X 9/16" LG	13/16" HEX. X 9/16" LG
2	2	PLATE PER SPEC.	APPROD.	3 1/2"	3 1/2"	PLATE PER SPEC.	3 1/2"	3 1/2"
3	3	ADDITIONAL PROCESSING	STRESS	1/2" C	1/2" C	STRESS	1/2" C	1/2" C
4	4	STRUCTURAL PROPERTY INFO.	CHECK	ME. C.F.	ME. C.F.	STRUCTURAL PROPERTY INFO.	ME. C.F.	ME. C.F.
5	5	REMARKS, NOTES, DISCUSSIONS AND SPECIFICATIONS PERTAINING TO THIS PART, INCLUDING THE DATE WHEN IT WAS SPECIFIED, THE DATE WHEN IT WAS APPROVED, THE DATE WHEN IT WAS CHANGED, OR THE DATE WHEN IT WAS REPLACED.	DRAWN	1/2" C	1/2" C	REMARKS, NOTES, DISCUSSIONS AND SPECIFICATIONS PERTAINING TO THIS PART, INCLUDING THE DATE WHEN IT WAS SPECIFIED, THE DATE WHEN IT WAS APPROVED, THE DATE WHEN IT WAS CHANGED, OR THE DATE WHEN IT WAS REPLACED.	1/2" C	1/2" C
A	A	13/16" HEX. X 9/16" LG	BY	13/16" HEX. X 9/16" LG	13/16" HEX. X 9/16" LG	DESCRIPTION OF CHANNELS	BY	SCALE: 2 X
CNC	CNC	CHANNELS	LET	CHANNELS	CHANNELS	CHG	DATE	

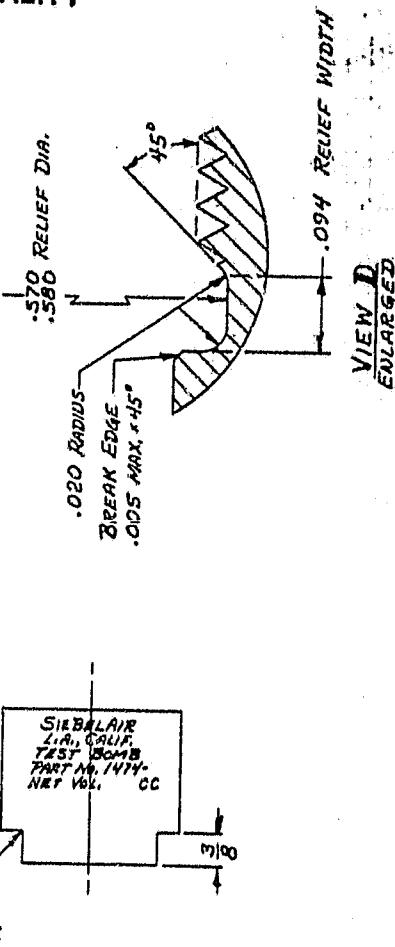
**NOTES:**

1. **POOLISH THESE SURFACES TO MIRROR FINISH.**  
 2. **BOMB TO BE THOROUGHLY CLEARED PRIOR TO EACH TEST.**  
 3. **THIS BOMB DESIGNED SPECIFICALLY FOR USE WITH A**  
**HISTER INSTRUMENT CORP. TRANSDUCER USING**  
**#601 PRESSURE PICKUP, 2 MM PISTON & ADAPTER**  
**AS SHOWN ON HISTERZ BALLISTICS ADAPTER**  
**INSTALLATION DIVIS. NO. 631 B-1. MAX. TRANSDUCER**  
**PRESSURE 30000 PSI, NAT. FREQUENCY 100,000 CPS.**



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3.0 TEST RESULTS

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3.1 Squib Bomb Test Data

3.11 One ( 1 ) P/N 2270 calibration unit fired in the test bomb exhibited a peak pressure of 5980 psi which is considered an acceptable output ( see drawing No. 2270 Rev. F ).

3.12 Eight ( 8 ) NSI-1 squibs were fired to exhibit the output pressure developed using adapters 3592-1 thru -6 and finally using " Full Open " adapter 2196. The results shown on the following data sheets show the highest pressure recorded used the adapter configuration 3592-6 and exhibited a pressure peak of 3341 psi. which is 63 percent of the minimum pressure required on our drawing number 2270.

4.0 CONCLUSION

4.1 On the basis of tests performed in a closed bomb it was not considered worthwhile to perform tests in any valves where the output pressures were so far below minimum values which have been established by qualification and historic performance. It is however worthwhile to note that adapters P/N 3592-1 thru -6 managed to contain the NSI-1 squib closure disks and postfire explosive residue in the bomb was minimal. Although not part of the investigation, it appears that if the NSI-1 had

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an output somewhat larger than 650 psi ( nominal ) in a 10 cc bomb, that we could well have met the required pressure-time requirements. The alternative of course is to consider the use of a booster for the NSI-1 squib as provided for on SieBelAir drawing 3270 Rev. J. This drawing shows the -3 and -4 configuration both of which we have exhibited will not provide the required output pressure. The -5 configuration however provides for the use of a qualified booster which when used with the NSI-1 will not only provide the required pressure but not generate closure disk fragmentation which could possibly damage the valve bore. The closure of this booster has a captive full petalling closure ( 8 petals ), each petal being peripherally contained by welding to the booster body. Therefore, minimal development verification testing could be anticipated and no qualification would seem necessary.

BOMB: SieBelAir P/N 1474-1 ( 1.0 cc )  
TEST: 5 AMPS & 10 MS @ R.T.

## SQUIB BOMB TEST DATA

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DEV. TEST NO.	TEST DATE	SQUIB PART NO.	S/N	L/N	RES. (OHMS)	MFR.	DATE	adapter P/N	PEAK PRESS. (PSI)	PEAK TIME (MSEC)	BOMB DEBRIS
1	4-18-83	SEB-26100001-216	0281	MNC	1.054	12-74	45	3592-1	2029	1.56	
2			0283		1.012			3592-2	2909	1.50	
3			0355		1.004			3592-3	3030	1.40	
4			0359		1.030			3592-4	3206	1.44	OF POOR QUALITY
5			0361		1.003			3592-5	3093	1.44	
6			0362		1.060			3592-6	3341	1.36	
7			0369		1.013			2196	3320	1.30	
8	4-18-83		0370		1.077			2196	3264	1.28	
9			0373		0.999						
10			0375		0.996						
11			0376		1.015						
12			0380		1.010						
13			0382		1.013						
14			0385		0.986						
15			0386		1.007						
16			0388		0.996						
17			0392		0.980						
18		SEB-26100001-216	0399		1.055						
19		SEB-26100001-256	0436		1.075						
20		SEB-26100001-256	0449	MNC	1.013	12-74	45				
CAL. 8	4-18-83	SIEBELAIR 2270 (CONTROL)			1.01	12-82	525	NOT REQUIRED	5980	5144	
		CALIBRATION UNIT			1.03	12-82	525	NOT REQUIRED	5980	5144	

TEST NUMBER	APP. OF CURRENT TO PEAK	PEAK PRESSURE	PRESSURE @ 14 msec AFTER PEAK	TEST TEMPERATURE	MEASURED FIRING CURRENT
CAL.	5.14	5980	2385	AMB	4.79
1	1.56	2029	79	AMB	4.74
2	1.50	2909	764	AMB	4.68
3	1.40	3030	700	AMB	4.76
4	1.44	3206	729	AMB	4.75
5	1.44	3093	699	AMB	4.82
6	1.36	3341	712	AMB	4.85
7	1.30	3320	700	AMB	4.84
8	1.28	3264	856	AMB	4.81

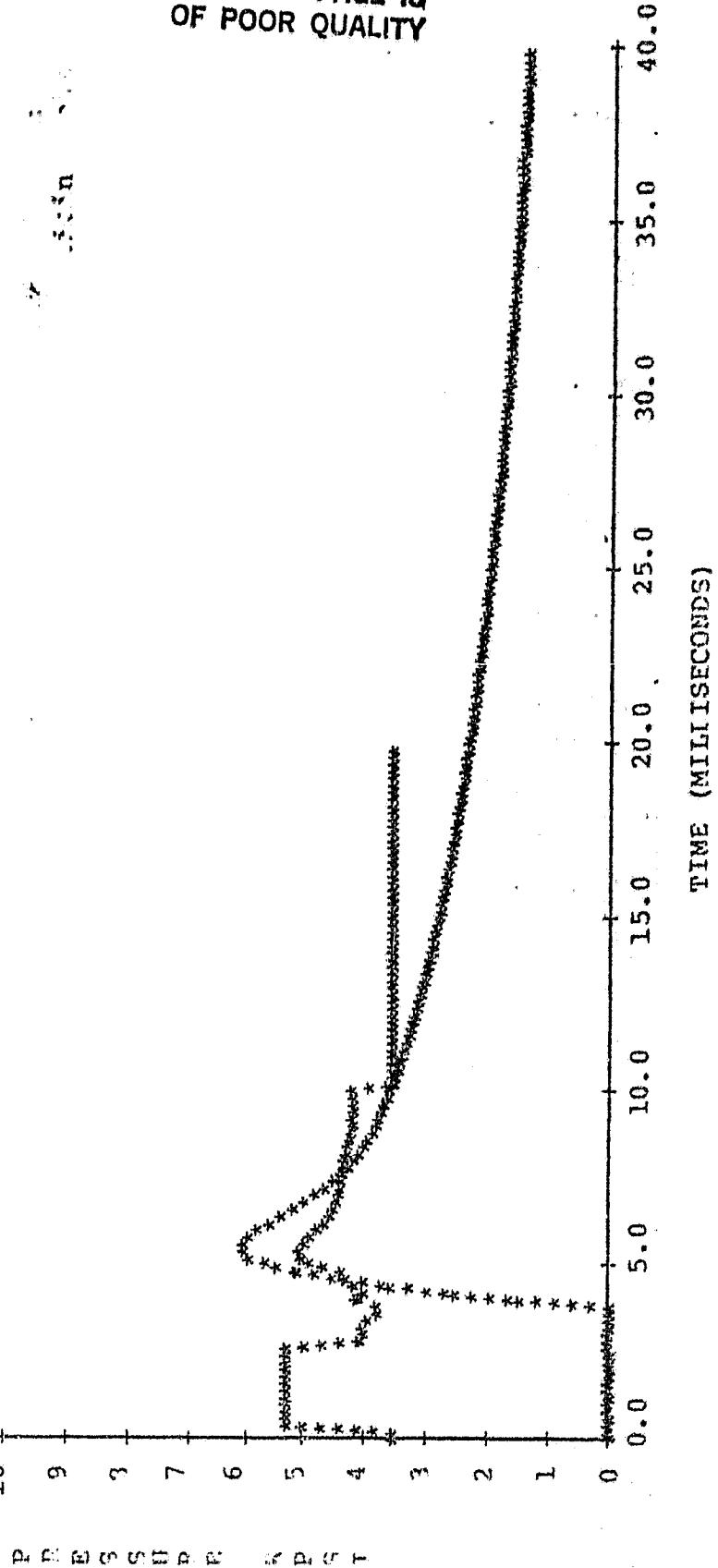
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14 DATE TEST, ED: 4/18/93 TEST NC: 2270 CAL.  
 13 LCT NO: S-air PRESSURE CALIBRATION NO: 1.7366  
 12 CURRENT CALIBRATION (amps/psi) 6.9544  
 11 TEST TEMPERATURE °C: 20.0  
 10 MEASURED FLOW CURRENT (amps) 4.02 (\*)  
 APP. OF CURRENT TO BURNOUT (ms) 2.70 (\*)  
 APP. OF CURRENT TO INIT. PRESS (ms) 3.56 (\*)  
 APP. OF CURRENT TO PEAK PRESS. (ms) 5.14  
 INITIAL PRESSURE TO PEAK PRESS (ms) 1.55 (\*)  
 PEAK PRESSURE..... (psi) 5830

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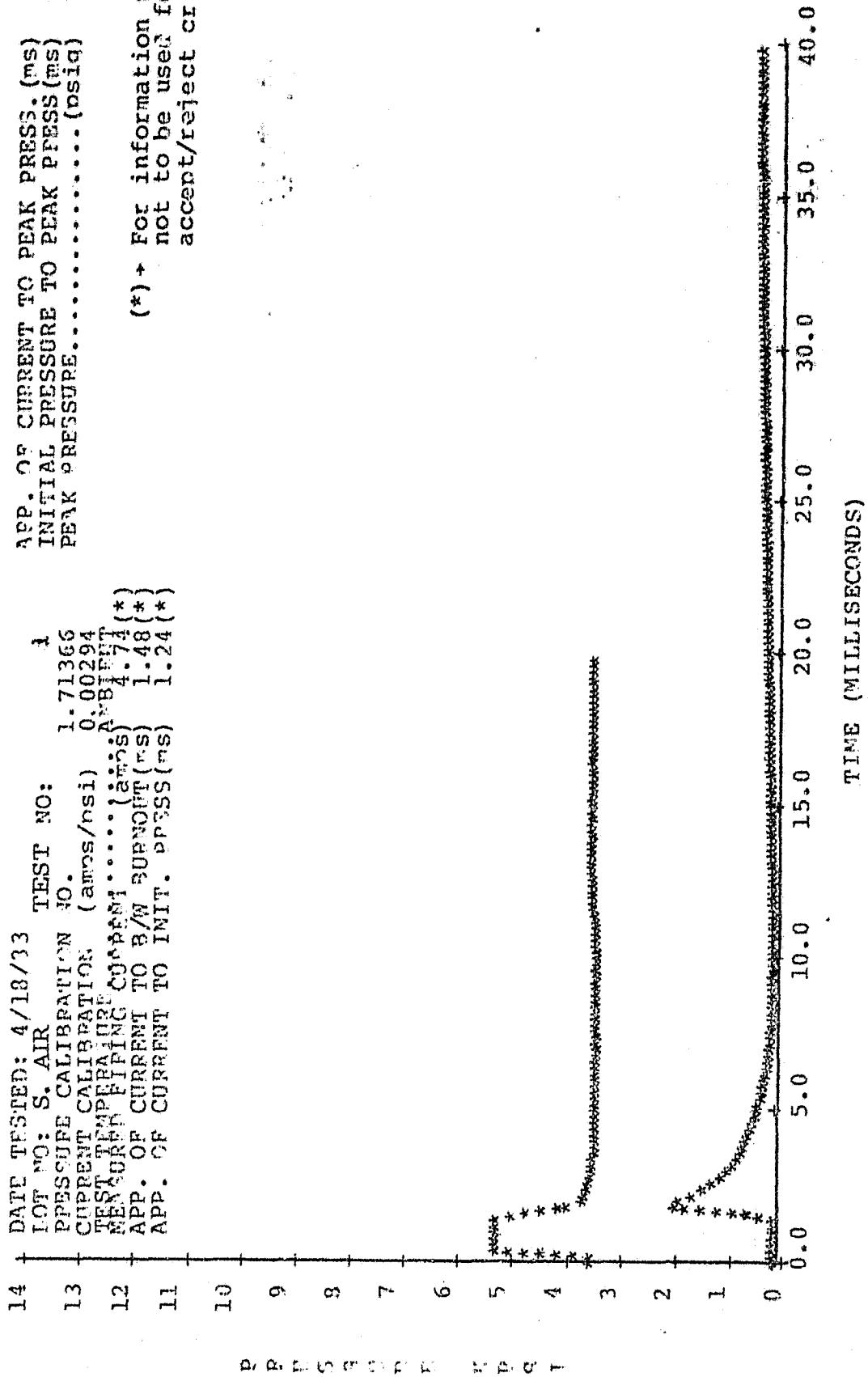


14 DATE TESTED: 4/18/33 TEST NO: 1  
 13 LOT NO: S. AIR CALIBRATION NO: 1  
 PRESSURE CALIBRATION NO: 1.71365  
 CURRENT CALIBRATION (atmos/psia) 0.00294  
 TEST TEMP CALIBRATION (atmos/psia) 0.00294  
 MEASURED FIRING CURRENT (amps) 4.74 (\*)  
 APP. OF CURRENT TO B/W SUPPLY (ms) 1.48 (\*)  
 APP. OF CURRENT TO INIT. PRESS (ms) 1.24 (\*)  
 APP. OF CURRENT TO PEAK PRESS. (ms) 1.56  
 INITIAL PRESSURE TO PEAK PRESS (ms) 0.32 (\*)  
 PEAK PRESSURE..... (psia) 26.29

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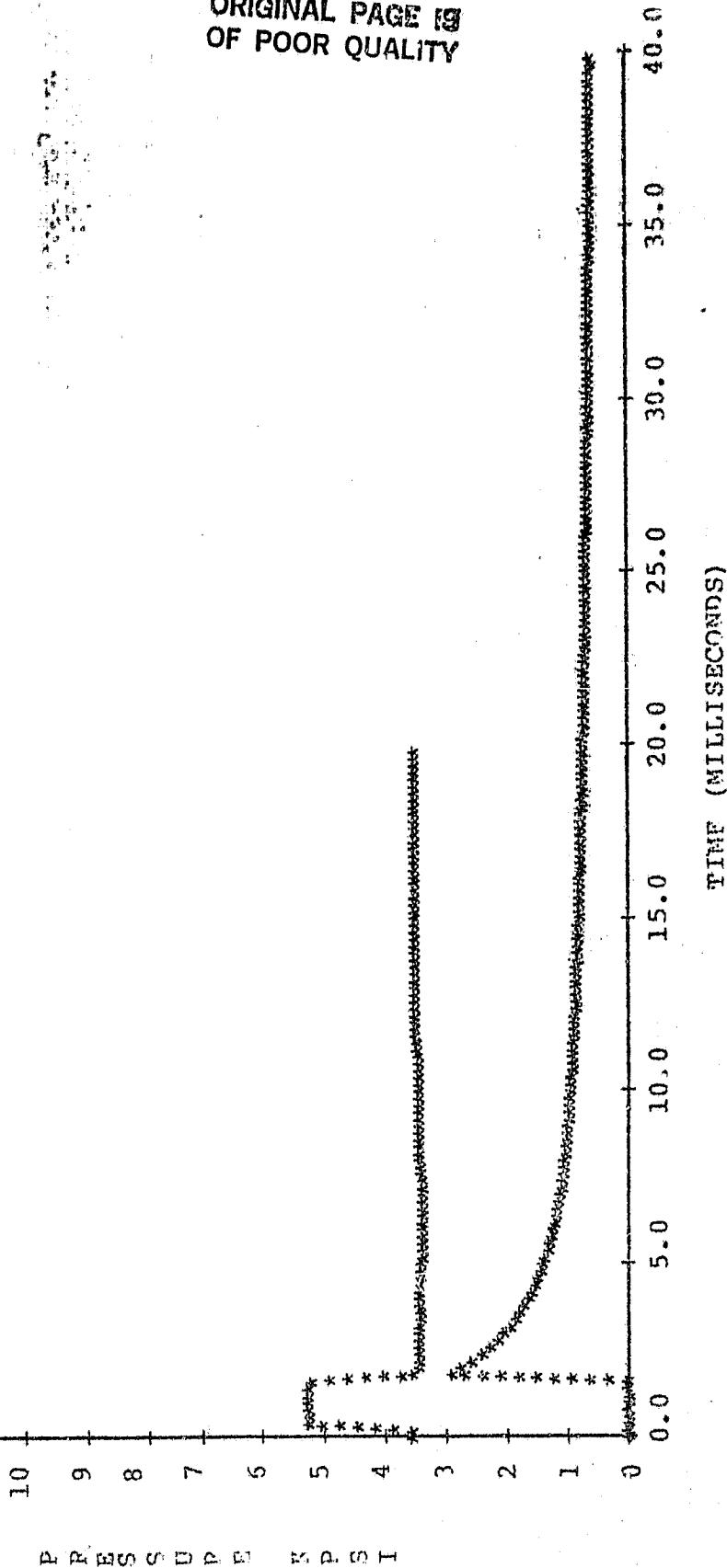
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 13 LOT NO: S.AIR CALIBRATION NO. 1.71366  
 PRESSURE CALIBRATION (ams/psi) 0.00294  
 CURRENT CALIBRATION (ams/psi) 1.30 (\*)  
 TEST TEMPERATURE °C 0.0000  
 MEASURED FLOWING CURRENT (ams) 4.68 (\*)  
 APP. OF CURRENT TO B/W BURNOUT (ms) 1.40 (\*)  
 APP. OF CURRENT TO INIT. PRESS (ms) 1.30 (\*)

APP. OF CURRENT TO PEAK PRESS. (ms) 1.50  
 INITIAL PRESSURE TO PEAK PRESS. (ms) 0.20 (\*)  
 PEAK PRESSURE..... (ms) 2909

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14 DATE TESTED: 4/18/73 TEST NO: 3  
 13 LOT NO: 5-AIR PRESSURE: CALIBRATION NO. 1.71366  
 PRESSURE: 0.00294  
 CURRENT CALIBRATION (amps/psi) 0.38(\*)

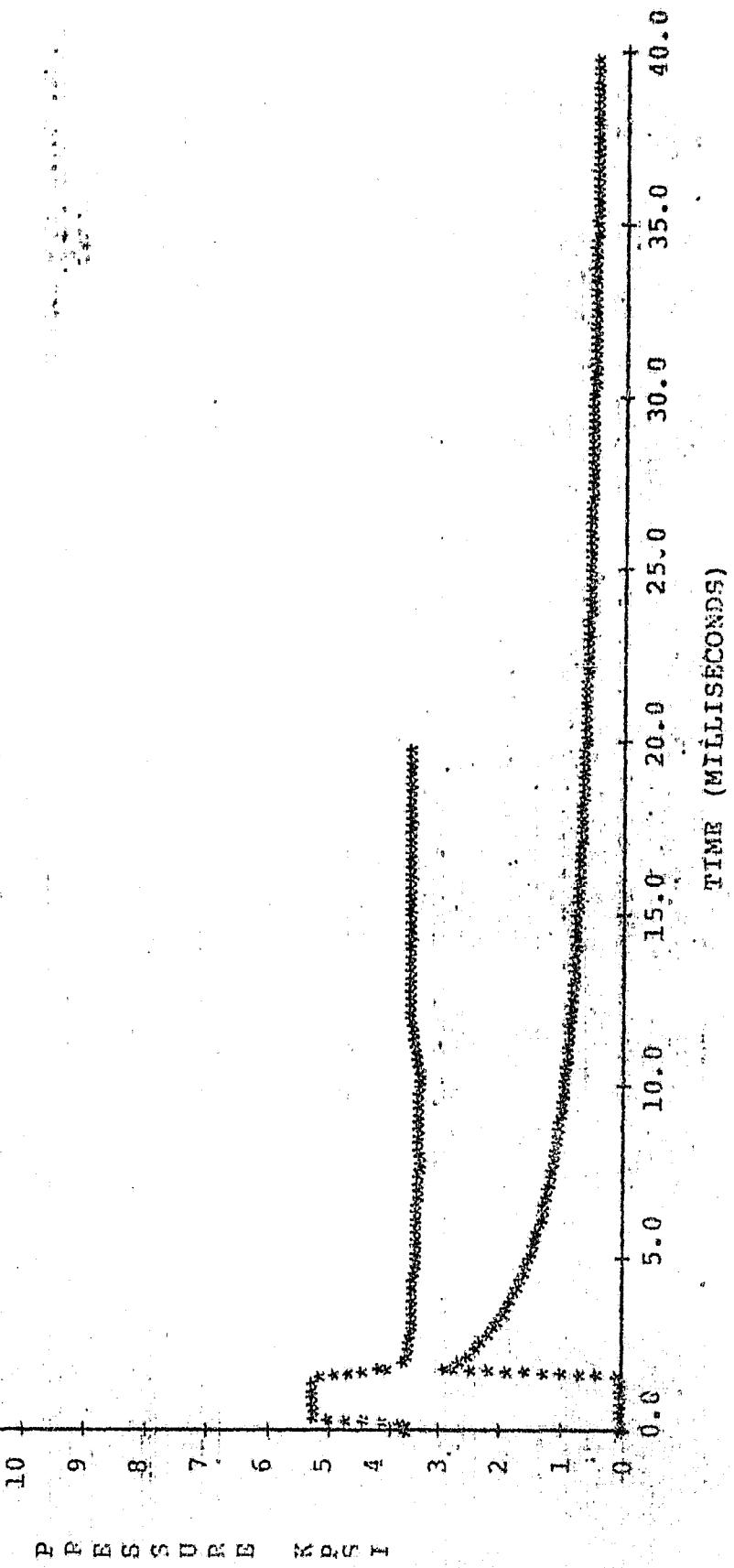
TEST TEMPERATURE: AMBIENT  
 MEASURED PIPING CURRENT (amps) 4.76(\*)  
 APP. OF CURRENT TO B/W BURNOUT (ms) 1.38(\*)  
 APP. OF CURRENT TO INIT. PRESS (ms) 1.28(\*)  
 APP. OF CURRENT TO INIT. PRESS (ms) 1.28(\*)

APP. OF CURRENT TO PEAK PRESS. (ms) 1.46  
 INITIAL PRESSURE TO PEAK PRESS (ms) 0.12(\*)  
 BREAK PRESSURE..... (ms) 3933

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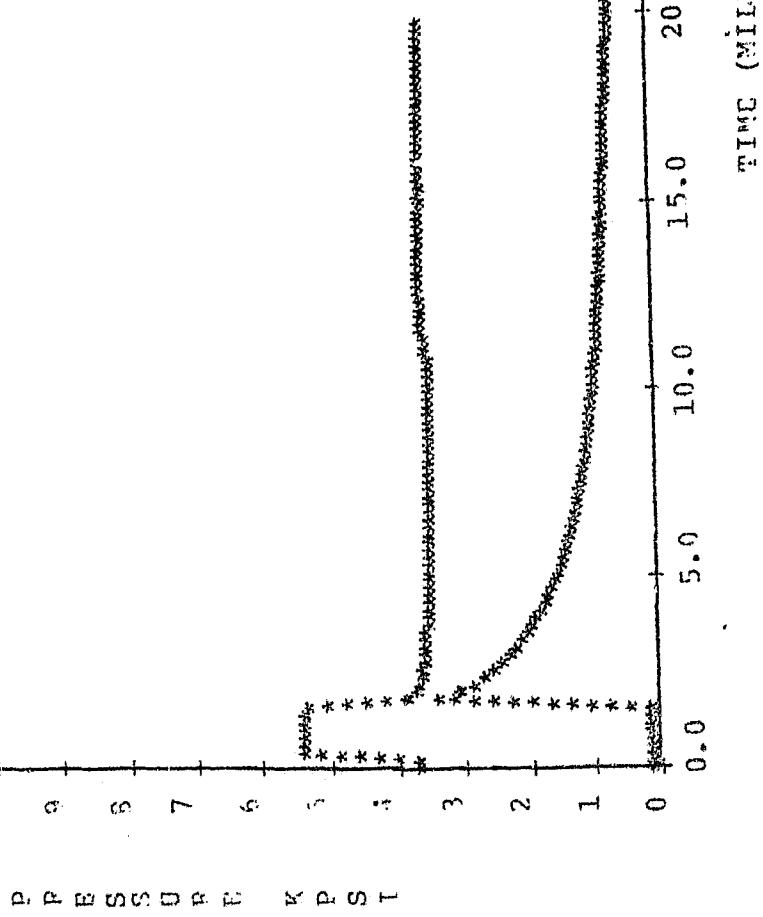
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14 DATE TESTED: 4/18/83 TEST NO: 3  
 13 LOT NO: 5-AIR PRESSURE CALIBRATION NO. 4  
 12 CURRENT CALIBRATION (amps/psi) 1.71366  
 11 TEST TEMP. (°C) 0.0294  
 10 MEASURED FLOW RATE (ml/min) 4.75 (\*)  
 9 APP. OF CURRENT TO B/m BIPOLAR (ms) 1.38 (\*)  
 8 APP. OF CURRENT TO INIT. PRESS (ms) 1.30 (\*)

APP. OF CURRENT TO PEAK PRESS. (ms) 1.44  
 INITIAL PRESSURE TO PEAK PRESS (ms) 0.14 (\*)  
 PEAK PRESSURE..... (psi) 3206

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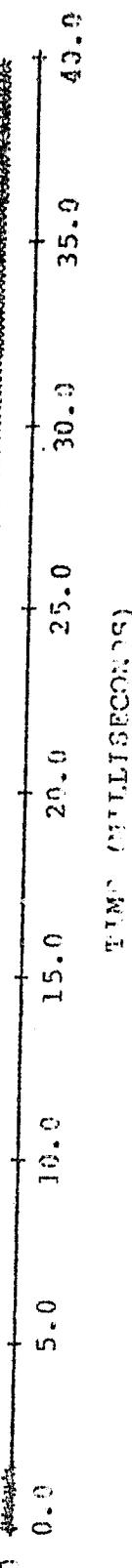


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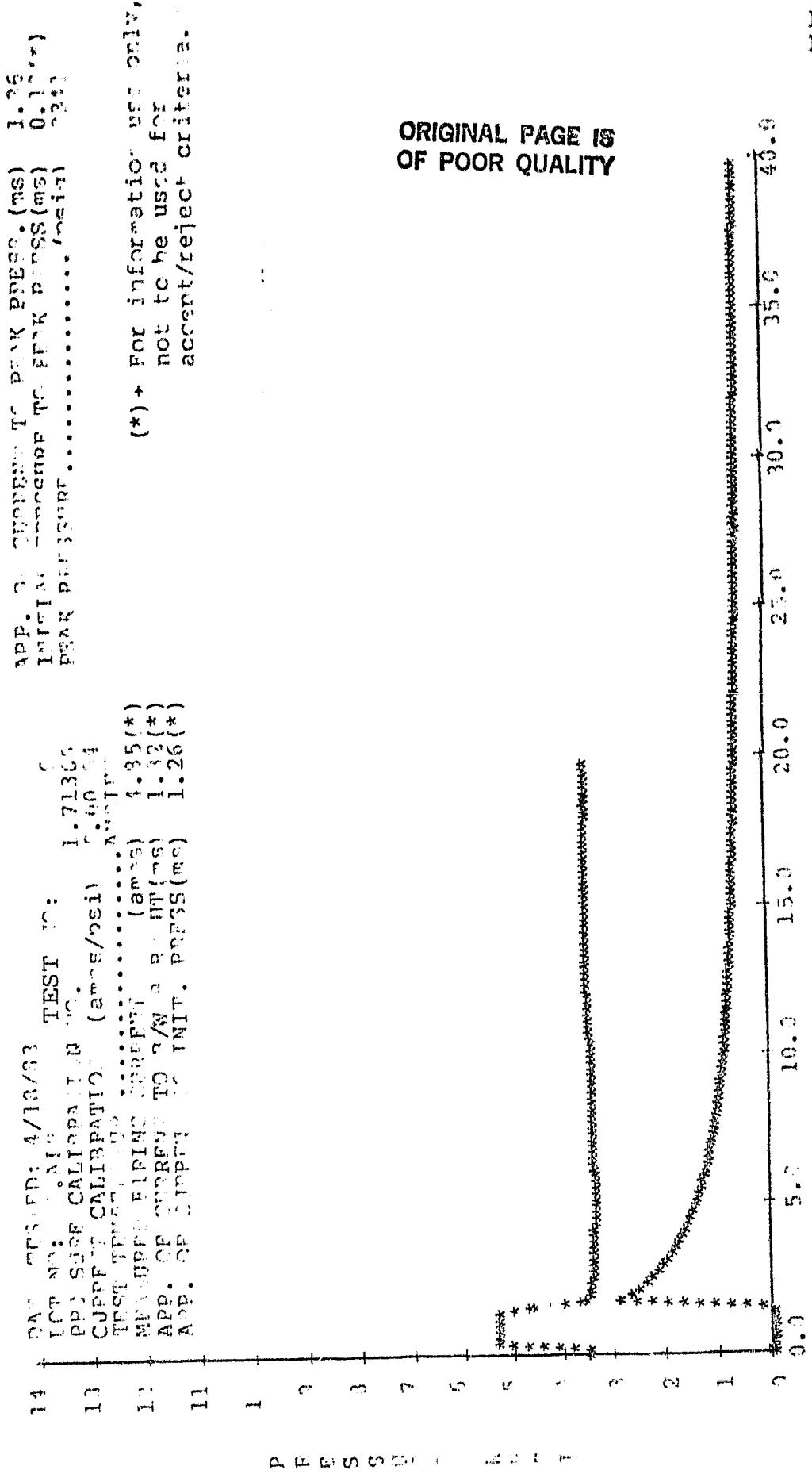
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 13 APP. OF SALVAPRINT: 0.  
 12 CURRENT CAPTURED: 1.09394  
 11 TEST TEMP. (°C): 25.0  
 10 APP. OF CAPTURED: 4.32 (\*)  
 9 APP. OF CURRENT: 1.40 (\*)  
 8 APP. OF CURRENT: 1.34 (\*)  
 7 APP. OF CURRENT: 0. INIT. PRESS (ms): 1.00394  
 6 APP. OF CURRENT: 0.00394  
 5 APP. OF CURRENT: 0.00394  
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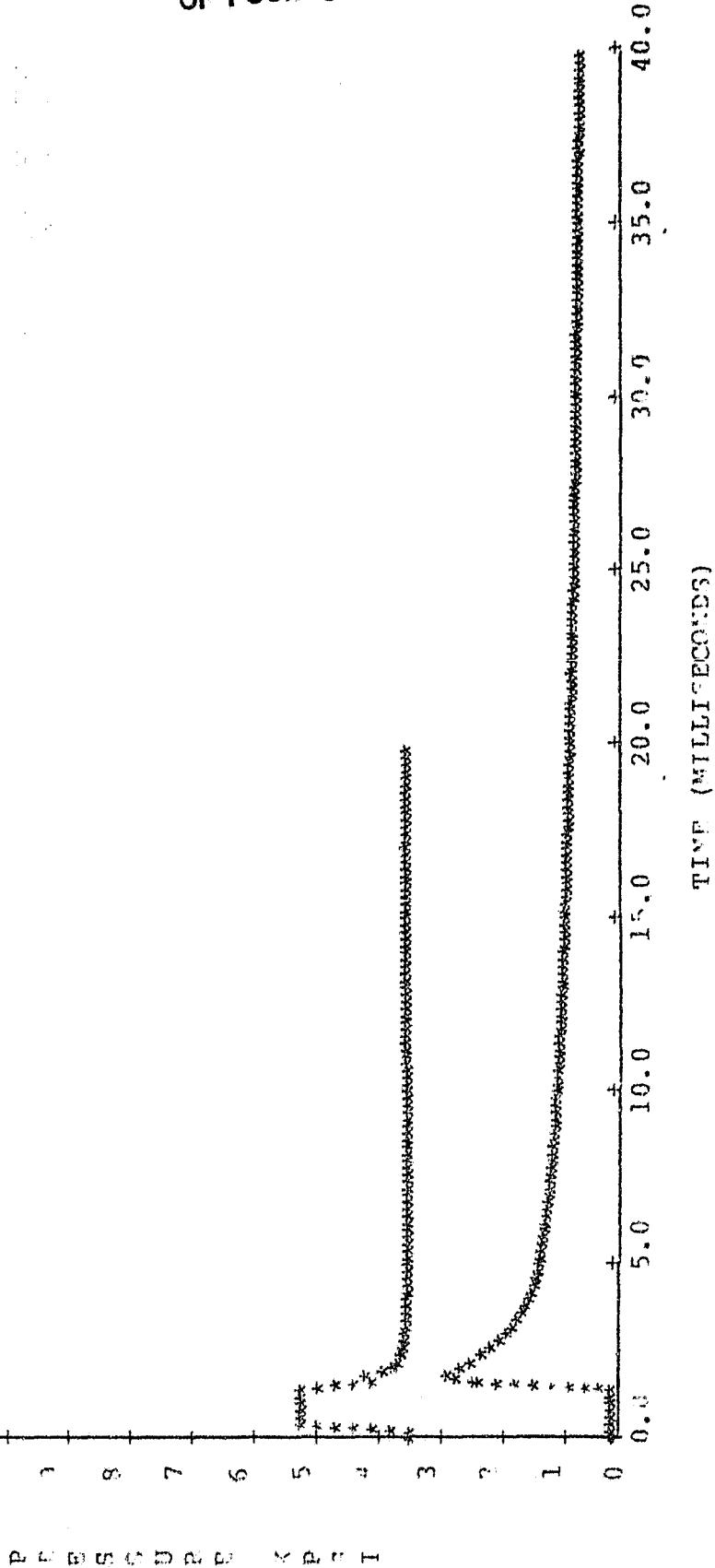
14	DATE TESTED: 4/17/83	TEST NO: 7
10	LOT NO: 112	
11	PRESENT CULTURATION:	"C. (emcs/mci) K-161
12	PRESERVED PREPARATION:	.....
13	MANUFACTURED FIRING DATE:	..... (ams)
14	APP. 1. E. C. DIFFERENT TO 2/W. DIFFERENT (ms)	4. 34 (*)
15	APP. 2. E. C. DIFFERENT TO 1/W. DIFFERENT (ms)	1. 24 (*)
16	APP. 3. E. C. DIFFERENT TO 1/W. DIFFERENT (ms)	1. 22 (*)

APP. C	CH. PRESENT "C" PEAK PRESS. (ms)	1.30
INITIAL	CH. PRESENT TO PEAK PRESS. (ms)	1.33 (*)
PEAK PRESSURE	.....	33.70
PEAK PRESSURE	.....	33.70

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DATE TESTED: 4/28/13 TEST NO: 6  
 LOC NO: S.411 TEST NO: 6  
 PPL SITE CALIBRATION NO. 1.71366  
 CUPR CALIBRATION (amps/ohm) 0.0234  
 TEST TEMPERATURE..... At 16°C  
 MEDIUM: PIPING CURRENT (amps) 4.81 (\*)  
 APP. OF CUPR TO B/W TEC20T(ms) 1.54 (\*)  
 APP. OF CUPR TO INIT. TEC20SS(ms) 1.22 (\*)

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